

**STATE OF ARIZONA  
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REPORT**

**DATE SUBMITTED TO SUPERVISOR:** April 02, 2021**CASE NUMBER:** SIS-2020-0323**DATE APPROVED BY SUPERVISOR:** April 02, 2021**CASE NAME:** Guillermina Fuentes**REPORT TYPE:** Further Case Summary - Supplement #19**AUTHOR:** Geisler, Roger**SUPERVISOR:** Supervising Special Agent John White

## \*\*\*\*\* Case Update Summary \*\*\*\*\*

On December 4th, 2020 Agent Knuth interviewed Fuentes at her residence. During this interview Fuentes observed the video obtained by a witness in this case. Fuentes confirmed obtaining a ballot from Alma Juarez to confirm it was completed properly. Fuentes stated the Ballot was from Juarez's sister Hilda who was not present at the time. Fuentes was questioned about several other ballots in her possession. Fuentes confirmed she had only two other ballots of her husband and mother.

Ballots obtained from Ballot box #11 in August had been sent to the Department of public safety to be examined for latent prints in an attempt to identify persons known to this case.

In January 2021 Fuentes was contacted and again provided fingerprints to be compared to evidence obtained in this case. Department of Public Safety (DPS) Certified Latent Print Examiner Kylie Trebes examined all prints obtained from the evidence (ballots) sent. Kylie listed the results into the following categories: No Latent Print Value, Excluded Prints, Insufficient Prints and Inconclusive Prints. From the information discovered and provided by Kylie Trebes , Fuentes was not identified nor excluded from evidence found on the ballots.

Beginning in January 2021 potential witnesses were contacted and interviewed from the ballots collected on August 4th, 2020. During the interviews several voters were contacted and stated they had returned their own ballots to the ballot box or by mail. According to the Yuma County Recorder's Office, mail in ballots would not have been put into Ballot Box #11, but would have been handled by YCRO staff in their office.

From the ballots collected from ballot box #11 the following witnesses reported arranging with an unknown female to collect their ballots from them.

Dominga Virrey – Gave un-voted ballot to unknown female who came to residence.  
Angelica Robles – Gave Ballot to unknown female who came to residence.  
Ricardo Robles – Gave Ballot to unknown female who came to residence.  
Magdalena Robles – Gave Ballot to unknown female who came to residence.  
Guadalupe Vargas – Gave un-voted ballot to unknown female at Cesar Chavez Cultural Center.

Of all the interviewed voters whose ballots were located in Ballot Box #11, none identified Fuentes as a relative, caregiver, or someone who lived in their household. Some witnesses interviewed reported knowing of Fuentes from her political affiliations or status in the community.

Witness Brenda Dominguez, the daughter to voter Guadalupe Vargas, did report that Fuentes would often collect Guadalupe's un-voted ballot from her before elections. This was not confirmed by Guadalupe.

Upon further examination of the voter ballots from ballot box #11, no ballots were discovered from ballot box #11 with the last name of Fuentes. There were no family or relative voter ballots of Fuentes from ballot box #11. There were no voter ballots depicting Fuente's address of [REDACTED] or P.O. Box



This information is added to this report. Further details can be obtained through the individual reports.



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